

NOVEMBER 22, 1888.

Editorial Notes.

The Hudson Bay land sales this season are three hundred per cent. greater than last season.

Professor Saunders, Director of the Experimental Farms of Canada, is about to make tests to find out whether or not frozen wheat will grow. This matter is of interest to some of the farmers in some parts of the Northwest.

Dr. Beers, of Montreal, woke up one morning last week to find that he had made his name famous by his patriotic speech at Syracuse, a report of which has been published in THE EXAMINER. It is an exact expression of the sentiments of the people of Canada—a very palpable text.

We have to apologise to several gentlemen who have sent letters for publication in defence of Mr. Keilly, whose excellent paper was published in THE EXAMINER a few weeks ago. Two causes account for the non-appearance of the letters in THE EXAMINER: (1) The space of THE EXAMINER is fully occupied; (2) Mr. Keilly needs not to be defended against his critics.

The latest statement of the chartered banks of Canada shows that the circulation has reached thirty-six millions and a quarter, an increase of ten and three-quarters per cent. during the month of October. The Dominion Government deposits increased three-quarters of a million, while the Provincial Government deposits decreased about the same amount. The people's deposits have reached one hundred and eighteen millions, an increase of two millions during the year.

The amount of wheat and flour now in transit to Europe, with the visible supply of wheat in the United States and Canada, is equivalent to 59,324,610 bushels of wheat, against 59,846,887 bushels one year ago, and of corn 11,630,753 bushels against 10,525,367 bushels. The export of wheat to Europe last week equivalent to 900,000 bushels of wheat, against 512,000 bushels the previous week. The imports into the United Kingdom during the past week were 1,976,090 bushels of wheat, 598,000 bushels of corn, and 180,000 barrels of flour.

The Summerside Journal announces that Mr. W. C. DesBrisay's dog "Frank" was killed, on Tuesday afternoon, by the Western express. In Charlottetown, "Frank" was almost as well known as his master. He had many friends; for he was, as the Journal well says, "a most intelligent animal." Mr. DesBrisay will, no doubt, mourn for him as Cowper mourned for his hare, and say:—

"I kept him for his humor,
For he would oft beguile
My heart of thoughts that made it ache,
And force me to a smile."

The grave of "Frank" will, no doubt, be marked, and his memory perpetuated by a marble slab, or something more enduring. We suggest the following epitaph:—

"Pussies and pigs! your distance keep,
In peace let Deb's old doggie sleep."

The Empire denounces the traitors who would hand Canada over to the United States, and says: "Are Canadian traitors any the less because they are Canadians? Shall five millions of loyal Canadians look on quietly, as if it mattered nothing that a gang of traitors should undertake to destroy the country's institutions and hand the country over to a foreign power. Why was the war of 1812 fought? Why did Canadians give their lives to resist Fenians on the border? Why was the North-west rebellion put down? Why do we maintain a militia force from end to end of the country? Why does Canada ring with applause of Dr. Beers' speech at Syracuse? Is it not because we have a country, a flag, a government, an empire for which we propose to do battle till the last moment of existence? Should we encourage traitors at home, only to fight them when they appear as an invading enemy on our borders? Shall we become the breeding ground of those who do not hesitate to declare that they desire the overturn of our form of Government and the destruction of the country's independence? Shall we call down blessings upon those who encourage the adventures and politicians of the United States to believe that Canada is ripe for annexation, and that if an invading force was sent into our country it would be received with open arms and welcomed by a large proportion of its inhabitants? We tell the Globe, the Mail and all who are laboring to foster such delusions in the United States, that should the day ever come when a foreign army from the south will invade our territory, the people of Canada will make short work of the home traitors as they march to meet the enemy at the gate. The home enemies of Canada may preach the insignificance of the Canadian people; they may assure the United States that the Empire will not strike a blow in our behalf; they may assure us all that the best defence for Canada is to smash the British Empire; but the people of Canada will be found, when the day comes, strong enough and sufficiently backed to hang every traitor, repel every invader and maintain Canada's connection with the Empire as of old."

The Americans are without question a go-ahead and wide-awake class of people, and generally a step in advance of their Canadian cousins; and with the worry and turmoil of active business, and mad haste to get rich, they are fast undermining their health and making physical wrecks of themselves. It is said that "prevention is better than cure," and we believe it, but the most of us never think of prevention until the need of a cure comes. Our American cousin says the need of something to build up the system something to soothe and quiet the over-taxed nerves, and they are becoming wide-awake enough to leave rum and quack mixtures alone, and instead are using celery as food and medicine combined; and it is enormous the amount of celery they consume. We hear a great ado about a medicine called "Paine's Celery Compound." We know nothing about it, but please note it is called "Celery Compound." It is significant to say the least of it. For our part we prefer the pure article, such as can be procured at Gay's Stall, Market House, Charlottetown. Orders taken now for winter supplies. Prices from 30c to 50c per dozen, boxed and shipped to any address.—JAMES G. GAY & SONS, P.O. No. 11, 1111

Canadians and Americans.

A NATIVE of Germany named Cohen, who has been visiting the United States and the Dominion, has formed his opinion of the two countries, and that opinion he has given to an English newspaper. It is said that comparisons are odious; but as Mr. Cohen's comparison is rather favorable to Canada, the saying does not, in the present case, apply to us. Here is what he has to say about the Canadians:—

"You must draw a distinction between the Canadians and the Americans. The Canadians repudiate the name 'American,' and are proud of their connection with the Old Country. They are a most intelligent, industrious and straightforward class of people, a high moral tone pervading their whole lives. Wherever you meet them, in their homes or elsewhere, they are most genial and agreeable in their manners. There is a frankness about them that is admirable, and whatever their social position, there is a total absence of that coolness and pretension which are too often characteristic of well-to-do English people."

Referring to the Americans he says:— "The Americans on the other hand are a bombastic people, and are forever talking of the greatness and the grandeur of their country. They are business-like and shrewd, and if they have an opportunity of taking advantage of you they will do so, and then laugh at you for your folly. Asked my opinion of them, I remarked that they were remarkably conscious of their politeness but absolutely unconscious of their vulgarity. I admitted that they could beat the English in the profusion with which they provide spittoons, and their capacity for smoking and chewing gum. With regard to this latter practice I would like to remark upon its injuriousness from a physiological point of view. The chewing of this gum, and also tobacco, which appears to be universal among the Yankees, simply excites a flow of saliva. This, in turn, induces an inclination to spit—in which accomplishment the Americans are unrivalled. The result is to be seen in the cadaverous and attenuated look of the men, and the general scragginess of the women. Socially the Americans are living at high pressure, the time not devoted to business being spent in running after excitement. One commendable feature I noticed was that manufacturers and directors of railway companies study the interests of their employees to an extent unknown in this country. Rooms in which meals can be partaken of, libraries, reading rooms, and halls for lectures and dramatic entertainments, are freely provided. The feature of American life I recommend to the notice of English manufacturers and others, feeling convinced that the more the employers study the comfort and well-being of the men the better they will advance their own interests."

While agreeing that reasonable objections to the Crown nominee should receive careful attention, the London Times believes the less the colonies insist upon a claim to share in the nomination of a governor the better for the colonies. The Spectator urges the Government not to withdraw Governor Blake from Queensland. It says the proposal would lessen the cordial relations and mutual respect of the colonies for the Mother Land. It is suggested that, seeing the great importance of the constitutional question, Canada follows the example of Victoria, and express an opinion to assist the decision of the Imperial Government. Victoria heartily supports entire Imperial responsibility.

Lord Carnarvon writes to the Times deprecating the idea that the colonies should choose their own governors. This, he says, implies the appointment of a governor by the political party then in power in the Colonial Parliament, and the abandonment of the very few rights which now belong to the Crown, and which he honestly believes are mainly in the interest of the colonies, as enabling the Crown to discharge its duties satisfactorily to them. After discussing the question fully he concludes: "The dispute requires careful handling. We must trust in the temper and good sense of both sides."

The Queensland Affair—British Opinions.

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Notes and Clippings.

The British cruiser Hyacinthe has taken possession of Cook's Islands, in the name of the British government; and the natives are rejecting. Cook's Islands, or the Harvey Archipelago, are a group in the Pacific Ocean, south of Polynesia. Their population is about 11,500. Raratonga, one of the largest of the Islands, is a seat of Protestant missions.

In regard to the movement of Russian troops, the Cologne Gazette, in a semi-official communication, says: "The scope of Russian military orders cannot be accurately known until war experts, having clear data on the matter, can pronounce upon it. The reasons, published at St. Petersburg, for the re-distribution of the army, feebly try to conceal the truth, but in Berlin they are estimated at true value. The fact that Russia is pushing new divisions towards the frontier of Germany demands keen attention."

The State of Nebraska, Mr. Blake's paradise, has free access to that all-consuming market of sixty millions and still its people are not happy. A correspondent of the Scottish-American, writing from North Platte, Nebraska, draws a doleful picture of the condition of the agricultural community. He says: "It requires capital to farm in this State. There are hundreds returning eastward in covered wagons 'burst.' A disappointed emigrant farmer passed through this place last year with the following inscription on his wagon:— 'Farewell to Kansas and Nebraska—I'll bid you both adieu! I yet may emigrate to— But never more to you."

At a meeting of the British-American Association, held in Chicago on the 20th inst., the following resolutions were adopted:— "Whereas, A certain policeman in the discharge of duty in an English city was foully murdered by three members of the fanatical brotherhood who, for the said crime, expiated the full demand of justice; and "Whereas, Certain Irishmen of fanatical and dynamic proclivities in this city have engaged the Central Music Hall for the 23rd inst., to commemorate the atrocities of the murderers whom they call martyrs; therefore "Resolved, The British-American Association cannot distinguish the difference between our brave policemen who fell at Haymarket and a brother policeman in the city of Manchester, cruelly murdered for performing his duty; and "Resolved, That the anarchists have the same tangible rights as the fanatics; we deprecate such gatherings as being subversive and dangerous to our enlightened civilization, and call on American citizens to stamp out fanaticism's dynamites and anarchists in our midst."

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Gravensteins and American Baldwin Apples.

BY AUCTION, on SATURDAY, Nov. 24th, at 10.30 o'clock:—

75 barrels Choice No. 1 GRAVENSTEINS, and 50 barrels AMERICAN BALDWIN, No. 1 Extra Winter Keeping—to close consignments. ONIONS, in Barrels and Boxes.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. nov22

Auction of American Baldwin Apples.

AT SALESROOM, TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.:

100 Barrels AMERICAN BALDWIN APPLES. 10 Barrels ONIONS.

R. BEAIRSTO, Auctioneer. nov22

THE PARNELL FUND.

ALL PARTIES wishing to contribute to this Fund, can do so by sending their subscriptions to M. P. HOGAN, Esq., Treasurer.

S. BOLGER, Chairman of Committee. nov22

Furniture, Stoves, &c.

By Auction, at my Salesroom, On Friday Next, 23rd Inst., AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.:

Parlor and Bedroom Sets, Dining Room and Kitchen Furniture, Crockery, Glass-ware, etc.

Also—4 Base Burners, all in good condition; Parlor, Bedroom and Cook Stoves. Also—One good Buggy.

GEO. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. nov20

WANTED!

10,000 Bushels Potatoes, FOR STARCH FACTORY.

All sound kinds taken. Large and small not picked. To be delivered at Freight Shed, Charlottetown.

GEORGE E. FULL, nov17—dy 61 wky 11

Landing and to Arrive.

180 Barrels ONIONS, 125 Boxes RAISINS, 175 FIGS, 75 CHEESE, 100 Half Chests TEA.

RITCHIE BROS. nov19—dy 61

ST. PETER'S CONCERT!

A CONCERT will be held for the benefit of the above Church, in the Y. M. C. A. HALL, Tuesday, 27th Inst.

Many of the leading Musicians of the city have kindly promised to assist, and ROMBERG'S TOY SYMPHONY, never before performed in this city, will be given.

Tickets 35 cents each, to be obtained at the Drug Stores. nov9

Furniture! Furniture!

I HAVE now on hand a large assortment of PARLOR AND BEDROOM SETS, in Walnut, Mahogany, Ash and Oak, Walnut Sideboards, Hair and Flock Mattresses, etc.

Intending purchasers would do well to inspect this Furniture before going elsewhere.

G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. nov12

ANNUAL ST. ANDREW'S DINNER,

AT THE OSBORNE HOUSE, Thursday, Nov. 29th, AT 8 O'CLOCK, P. M.

TICKETS, - - \$1.25.

The usual arrangements for the convenience of visiting Clansmen have been made with the Railway authorities.

ROBT J. CAM'BELL, J. McISAAC, Chairman. Secy. Com. nov16—2aw m f 1 dts

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island. NOTICE is hereby given that a Half-Yearly Dividend, at the rate of EIGHT PER CENT. per annum, on the Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared, payable at its Banking Office, Charlottetown, on and after 1st DAY OF DECEMBER NEXT.

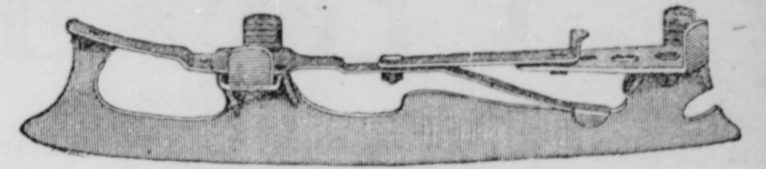
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The simple application of SWAYNE'S OINTMENT, without any internal medicine, will cure any case of Tetter, Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Piles, Itch, Sores, Pimples, Eczema, all Scaly, Itchy Skin Eruptions, no matter how obstinate or long standing. It is potent, effective, and costs but a trifle.

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White Blankets, Grey Blankets, Bed Comforts, Colored Counterpanes, Railway Rugs, Horse Rugs, Sleigh Robes, Fur Coats, Wool Carriage Wraps, Fur Jackets.

Fine Display of Fancy Goods for Christmas Presents.

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF WINTER DRY GOODS AT PRICES WHICH CANNOT BE BEATEN.

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New Winter Clothing, now open,

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Boat, Seal, Persian Lamb, Astracan and Hare Muffs, SPLENDID VALUE.

FUR BOAS AND CAPS, A LARGE STOCK.

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